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In the Matter of Reg. Nos. 2,207,535 and 3,598,502

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Joshua S. Schoonover,	)	
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Petitioner,	)	Cancellation No.: 92067794 (parent)
	)	
vs	)	
	)	Cancellation No. 92069499
The Burton Corporation,	)	
	)	
Respondent,	)	

**PETITIONER’S RESPONSE TO ORAL HEARING REQUIREMENT**

On July 2, 2021, Petitioner, Joshua S. Schoonover (“Petitioner”) filed a request for an oral hearing together with the required fee pursuant to Trademark Rule 2.129(a). *66 TTABVUE*<sup>1</sup>.

On July 16, 2021, the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board (the “Board”) issued an order requiring a response detailing: (i) whether the non-requesting party plans to participate in the hearing; (ii) whether any party plans to participate via video conference; and (iii) provision of at least three non-consecutive agreed upon dates and times for the hearing. *68 TTABVUE*.

Now comes the Petitioner, with this timely submission in accordance with Trademark Rule 2.196, in response to the Board’s Order of July 16, 2021.

After inquiry, Respondent, The Burton Corporation (“Respondent”) has indicated an intent to participate in the oral hearing.

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<sup>1</sup> All references to TTABVUE are directed to the Parent proceeding 92067794.

Both parties to this matter intend to participate via video conference, which is the only option at the time due to the current pandemic. However, should things change, at least Petitioner, who can show evidence of full vaccination, would prefer to participate in person at the USPTO campus in Alexandria VA. Understanding a physical hearing is impossible at this time, Petitioner will participate via remote video conference unless the opportunity for an in-person appearance becomes available.

The parties to this matter have mutually agreed to the following dates and times as options for the oral hearing:

- September 8, 2021 @ 10:00am Eastern Time
- September 16, 2021 @ 10:00am Eastern Time
- September 21, 2021 @ 10:00am Eastern Time

The parties request the Board to issue a written notice of the hearing.

Dated: August 2, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and accurate copy of PETITIONER'S RESPONSE TO ORAL HEARING REQUIREMENT has this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August 2021 been delivered via email only to the below-identified Attorney/Correspondent for the Respondent:

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